#### LEGISLATIVE BRANCH APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Legislative Branch held a hearing on Fiscal Year 2011 House of Representatives Budget. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the House of Representatives: Lorraine Miller, Clerk; Dan Beard, Chief Administrative Officer; and Bill Livingood, Sergeant-at-Arms.

### MILITARY CONSTRUCTION, VETERANS, AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Military Construction, Veterans' Affairs and Related Agencies held a hearing on Navy/Marine Corps Budget. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Navy: ADM Gary Roughead, Chief of Naval Operations; and GEN James T. Conway, Commandant of the Marine Corps.

## TRANSPORTATION, HUD, AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation, Housing and Urban Development, and Related Agencies held a hearing on Sustainability in Practice. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on HUD and DOT's Sustainability and Livability Initiatives in the Fiscal Year 2011 Budget Request. Testimony was heard from Roy Kienitz, Under Secretary, Policy, Department of Transportation; and Ron Sims, Deputy Secretary, Department of Housing and Urban Development.

# EUROPEAN-AFRICA-JOINT FORCES COMMANDS BUDGETS

Committee on Armed Services: Held a hearing on Fiscal Year 2011 National Defense Authorization Budget Requests from U.S. European Command, U.S. Africa Command, and U.S. Joint Forces Command. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: ADM James G. Stavridis, USN, Commander, U.S. European Command; GEN William E. "Kip" Ward, USA, Commander, U.S. Africa Command; and GEN James N. Mattis, USMC, Commander, U.S. Joint Forces Command.

## ARMY ACQUISITION/ MODERNIZATION PROGRAMS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Air and Land Forces held a hearing on Army acquisition and modernization programs. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: LTG Robert Lennox, USA, Deputy Chief of Staff, Army, G–8; LTG William N. Phillips, USA, Military Deputy to the Assistant Secretary of the Army,

Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics; David M. Markowitz, Director, Capabilities Integration, Prioritization, and Analysis and Technical Advisor to the Deputy Chief of Staff of the Army, G–3; and J. Michael Gilmore, Director, Operational Test and Evaluation, Office of the Secretary; and Michael J. Sullivan, Director, Acquisition and Sourcing, GAO.

## PUBLIC SAFETY EMPLOYER-EMPLOYEE COOPERATION ACT OF 2009

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Health, Employment, Labor and Pensions, hearing on H.R. 413, Public Safety Employer-Employee Cooperation Act of 2009. Testimony was heard from David S. Smith, Mayor, Lancaster, Ohio; and public witnesses.

#### MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Ordered reported the following bills: H.R. 3125, amended, Radio Spectrum Inventory Act; H.R. 3019, Spectrum Relocation Improvement Act of 2009; and H.R. 1258, amended, Truth in Caller ID Act of 2009.

### **DRUG SAFETY**

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health held a hearing entitled "Drug Safety: An Update from the FDA." Testimony was heard from Joshua M. Sharfstein, M.D., Principal Deputy Commissioner, FDA, Department of Health and Human Services.

#### MONEY SERVICE BUSINESSES REGULATION

Committee on Financial Services: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions and Consumer Credit held a hearing entitled "Regulation of Money Service Businesses." Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

### HOMEOWNERS INSURANCE AVAILABILITY/AFFORDABILITY

Committee on Financial Services: Subcommittee on Housing and Community Opportunity and the Subcommittee on Capital Markets, Insurance, and Government Sponsored Enterprises held a joint hearing entitled "Approaches to Mitigating and Managing Natural Catastrophe Risk: H.R. 2555, Homeowners' Defense Act." Testimony was heard from James Lee Witt, former Director, FEMA, Department of Homeland Security; and public witnesses.

### U.S. CYBERSPACE POLICY

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Held a hearing on The Google Predicament: Transforming U.S. Cyberspace Policy to Advance Democracy, Security, and Trade. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.